

Parker Assigned To Benning Training Center

WOI John B. Parker has been assigned to the Property Book Officer, S-4, Headquarters, 3rd Brigade, U. S. Army Training Center, Infantry.

The Training Center was established at Fort Benning September 15, 1965, and since December 1965 has graduated an average of 1,400 men weekly from Basic Combat Training. The 3rd Brigade was formed in March 1966.

During his eight weeks at the Center, the recruit is taught the basic fundamentals of soldiering — hand-to-hand combat, rifle marksmanship, first aid and many other subjects — all compressed into 324 hours of strenuous activity, designed to prepare him physically and mentally for his future assignment to a Regular Army unit.

Warrant Officer Parker, a graduate of Klinton High School, Klinton, Alabama, received a direct warrant December 20, 1966, while serving at Fort Rucker, Alabama. Prior duty stations have included a tour in Baumholder, Germany, with the 8th Infantry Division.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Parker, Route 4, Elba, Alabama, he entered the Army in 1956 at Fort Jackson, South Carolina. He is married to the former Lou Ann Wallace, daughter of Mrs. Lucile Thorn, 204 Monroe Street, Opp, Alabama.



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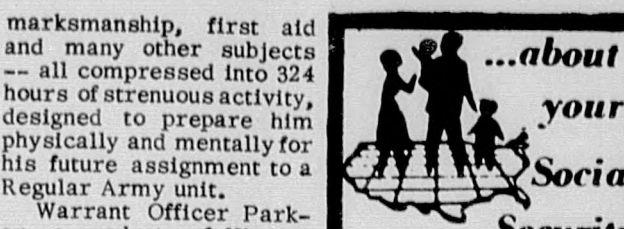
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Are you nearing age 65? If so, it is time to think about your social security benefits and what you have to do to get them — especially medicare, according to Harry N. Scott, district manager for social security in Dothan.

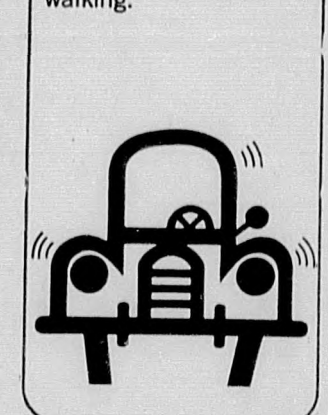
Medicare consists of two kinds of protection — hospital insurance and medical insurance which pays doctor bills. You get the basic hospital insurance as soon as you reach 65, whether or not you apply. But your doctor bill

insurance will not begin with the month you reach 65 unless you apply for it during the 3-month period just before the month of your 65th birthday. If you sign up in the month of your birthday or in the following 3 months, you will have to wait for one to three months for your protection to begin, and if you delay beyond that, your next chance to enroll will not come until October 1967.

If you have already applied for social security or railroad retirement benefits, you will receive automatic notification to enroll for the doctor bill insurance. Your hospital insurance protection will begin automatically the month you reach 65. But, if you have not applied for your monthly cash benefits under social security, you should get in touch with your social security office promptly. Unlike social security cash benefits, you do not have to be retired in order to qualify for medicare.

People who are working or who cannot for other reasons visit their district office can start the application process by phone or letter. The social security office can assist you with the application and answer any other questions you may have. The address is Federal Building, 100 West Troy Street, Dothan, The telephone number is 794-3161. Regular office hours are from 8:45 A.M. to 5:00 P.M., Monday through Friday, but as an added convenience for those who may work during the week, the office is also open from 9:00 A.M. to 12:00 Noon on Saturdays, except legal holidays.

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General Oden To Speak At Meeting

Major General Delk M. Oden, who will assume command of Fort Rucker this month, will be the principal speaker at a joint meeting March 2 of the Association of the United States Army and Army Aviation Association of America.

The meeting will be held at the Fort Rucker NCO Club, with a social hour at 6:30 P.M. and dinner at 7:30 P.M.

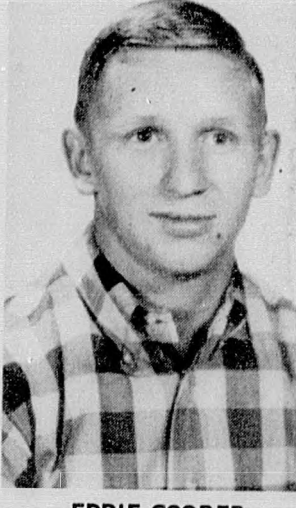
Colonel (Ret.) Edward McMaken of Ozark, Alabama, president of AAAA, will preside, with brief business sessions to be conducted by him and Glen Heath of Enterprise, Alabama, president of AUSA.

Tickets for the meeting are on sale at the Chambers of Commerce in the surrounding communities and at the major units at Fort Rucker.

MG Oden, now director of Officer Personnel, Office of Personnel Operations, Department of the Army, will become Fort Rucker's commanding general February 24. He succeeds Major General John J. Tolson, who leaves for an assignment in Vietnam.



LAVANNA HOCUTT



EDDIE COOPER

County School Board Gets Federal Funds

Senator Lister Hill and Congressman George Andrews announced this week that a U. S. Treasury check in the amount of \$32,754 should reach the Coffee County Board of Education in the next week.

The payment is being made under the law which provides financial assistance to schools burdened with federally connected enrollments.

Morrow Is Promoted By Air Force

Levey P. Morrow, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Levey P. Morrow, Sr., and son-in-law of Sheriff and Mrs. H. D. Tillman, was recently promoted to the rank of Lieutenant Colonel in the U. S. Air Force.

Morrow is married to the former Doris Tillman, is a veteran of 17 years in the Air Force and is stationed at Bedford, Massachusetts. He and his wife have two children, Buddy, age 11, and Dixie, age 9.



Elba Band Students Honored

Two Elba High band students were honored last Saturday by being selected to play in the All-State Bands at the University of Alabama this spring.

Eddie Cooper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cooper, placed second in the district with his trumpet and will play in the Red Band.

Lavanna Hocutt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Hocutt, is alternate with her clarinet.

Both students will go to Tuscaloosa during AEA holidays and compete with students from all over the state for further honors.

Beta Club To Sponsor Heart Campaign

The Elba High School Beta Club will serve as Campaign Chairman of the 1967 Heart Fund Campaign in Elba, it was announced recently by Lamar Foley, Principal of Elba High School. The campaign will be conducted February 24 and 25 and will have a goal of \$1,000.00.

The Heart Fund volunteers who ring your doorbell February 24 or 25 deserve to be greeted with a smile, a warm handshake and a generous contribution.

In a sense, they are working for you, and over the years their services — combined with those of millions of other volunteers — have helped to save thousands of lives.

They are fully entitled to share with medical science the credit for dramatic advances achieved over the past 15 years in the fight against heart and blood vessel diseases.

To be sure, these spectacular gains were achieved by the scientists. But never forget that much of this research activity was underwritten by dollars which they and others like them so laboriously collected.

So give generously. Put out the welcome mat. Make this the most successful Heart Sunday appeal in the history of our city. Give — so more will live!



NEW UNIFORMS — The ladies working at the Peoples Bank are sporting new blue uniforms this week. The uniform, furnished by the bank, will be worn by all lady employees of the bank in the future, according to President Lamar Rainer. Pictured here are cashiers Betty Lewis, Doris Bedsole, Francis Conner, Sylvia Brown and Bonnie Thomason.

Girl Scout Art Winners

Fourteen Elba Girl Scouts won ribbons for their outstanding art work in the first Girl Scout Arts Festival held in this area. Competing with Girl Scouts from Geneva, Enterprise, Vanlandingham, Geneva, Enterprise, and Debra Gay, the Elba girls won four first places, five second places and five third places.

The Arts Festival was held Saturday, February 11, at the Elba City School and attracted a large crowd from surrounding towns. The entries were displayed on tables set up around the cafeteria with many paintings displayed on the walls. Mrs. Sam Collier was coordinator.

Local winners were: Brenda Cox, Judy Kelly, Terry Kelley, and Lori Wilkerson, Enterprise. Yellow ribbons were won by Tamra McKinnon, Enterprise; Beverly Kelley, Elba; Pam Crutchfield, Geneva; and Pamela Ervin, Enterprise.

Entered in the Junior, Cadet and Senior Arts category were 220 endeavors that included water painting, photography, pastels and sculpture. Blue ribbons went to Barbara Lupton, Enterprise; Troop 4405, Enterprise; Patti Vanlandingham, Geneva; Brenda Cox, Elba; Judy Kelly, Elba; Sherry Schmitz, Enterprise; Sue Trant, Geneva; and Melissa Parker, Enterprise. Red ribbon winners were Melissa Seay, Enterprise; and Kim Williams, Enterprise. Red ribbons tagged the art efforts of Jody Lavender, Enterprise; Chris Tatum, Elba; Joanne James, Enterprise; Debra Jean Kelly, Elba; and Lori Wilkerson, Enterprise. Ann Martin, Elba; Beverly Cox, Elba; Alice Brunson, Elba; Roxanne Timbrook, Enterprise; Andy Radford, Enterprise; Gena Kendrick, Elba; and Marie Enterprise.



WILLIAM HEDRICK WALKER, two, shown in the arms of his father, looks as if he may be saying, "Thank you." William's life was saved when his father used mouth-to-mouth resuscitation to revive him after finding the child submerged in a filled bathtub. Bill Walker learned the life-saving technique from a Medical Self-Help Course which is taught in all 67 counties in Alabama under the administration of the Alabama Department of Public Health. Dr. Ira L. Myers, State Health Officer, holds the familiar sign seen in all Medical Self-Help classes. Ironically, William's grandfather (left), Joe Hedrick, serves as Executive Officer of the Alabama Department of Civil Defense which is co-sponsor of the Medical Self-Help program. This month (February) Alabama joins the nation in celebrating Medical Self-Help Month.

TIGERS WIN BIG OVER HARTFORD

Elba took a 79-56 victory over Hartford in a game at Hartford Tuesday night.

Martin paced the Tigers with 23 points while Bragg had 17, Parker 16 and Sanders 10.

Elba won the Bee game 60-34.

SUPPORT THE ELBA RESCUE SQUAD

BIG BEAR MANAGER — Marrell Whitman, on sofa left, manager of new Big Bear Supermarket in Elba is shown here with his family in the family room of their newly purchased home in Brookdale. Whitman, a native of Notusga, moved to Elba in January from Lufkin where he owned and operated a Red and White Supermarket until late last year. Shown with Mr. Whitman are his wife, Jane, right, also a native of Notusga and daughter, Rebecca, a student at Elba High School. Seated on the floor are the other three Whitman children. From left to right, Benjamin, Priscilla and Michael. The Whitman family attends the Elba Methodist Church.

POOR ORIGINAL



...about your Social Security

A new part of the medicare law started on January 1, Harry N. Scott, Social Security District Manager in Dothan, said recently. This is the part that pays

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February 20, 1967, At Elmer Bryan's Store, Pine Level Community, Route 2, Elba, Alabama, The Following

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TRACT 1: The S½ of NE¼, Section 24, Township 6, Range 18, and containing 80 acres, more or less, Crenshaw County, Alabama.

Tract 1 contains 55 acres of land in cultivation and 25 acres woodland.

TRACT 2: The NW¼ of Section 25, Township 6, North of Range 18, East of St. Stephens' Meridian, Crenshaw County, Alabama, containing 160 acres, more or less.

Tract 2 contains 80 acres of land in cultivation and 80 acres in woodland.

TRACT 3: The SE¼, and the S½ of SW¼, and all that part of the NW¼ of SW¼, lying and being on the east side of Lightwood Knot Creek in Section 26, All that part of the NE¼ of SE¼, lying and being on the east side of Lightwood Knot Creek, the same being a small piece of land in the southeast corner of the said forty, and all that part of the SE¼ of SE¼, lying and being on the east side of Lightwood Knot Creek, the same being 11 acres, more or less, Section 27, and 3 acres in the northeast corner of NE¼ of NE¼, the same being all that part of the said forty lying on the east side of Lightwood Knot Creek, Section 34, and the E½ of NE¼, and SW¼ of NW¼, and 15 acres lying and being in the northeast corner of NW¼ of NW¼, Sect. 35, all in Township 6 North of Range 18, East of St. Stephens' Meridian, Crenshaw County, Alabama, and containing in all 428 acres, more or less.

Subject to reservation of ½ minerals by prior owner as to the SE¼ and E½ of SW¼, Section 26, Township 6, Range 18.

ALSO, the W½ of the NE¼, and the E½ of the NE¼ of Section 35, Township 6 North of Range 18 East, containing 160 acres, more or less, containing in the aggregate 538 acres, more or less.

Tract 3 contains 100 acres of land in cultivation; 275 acres permanent pasture, in Coastal Bermuda and Bahio grass; and 213 acres timber land.

The owner hereof expressly and absolutely reserves the right to reject or accept any and all bids offered on the sale date for any or all of the above described property.

If interested in prior appraisal of the above described property contact Elmer Bryan, at Bryan's Store, Route 2, Elba, Alabama, Telephone No. 897-6883, or G. A. Lindsey, P. O. Box 327, Elba, Alabama, Telephone No. 897-6129.

AA To Meet In Montgomery This Month

The Downtown Group of Alcoholics Anonymous in Montgomery will celebrate its 23rd Anniversary with a public meeting to be held on Saturday, February 25th at 8 P.M. at the Whitley Hotel, Montgomery, in the Blue-Gray Room.

Open to all those who may have a problem with alcohol, as well as to their relatives and friends, the special meeting will feature a talk by Attorney "Dave C." from Maryville, Tennessee.

Following the meeting a social period will be held in the Club's Rooms at 216 Bibb Street, during which coffee and cake will be served.

Alcoholics Anonymous is a fellowship of men and women who share their experiences, strength and hope with each other in order to solve their common problem and to help others recover from alcoholism.

The only requirement for membership is a desire to stop drinking. There are no dues or fees and A.A. is not allied with any other organization.

IT'S UP TO YOU

By Howard E. Kershner, L.H.D.

An Idle Army

IF the Truman Administration had allowed General MacArthur to win the war in Korea, we doubt if the problems in Vietnam would ever have plagued us.

If we now win the war in Vietnam, as we should, we shall undoubtedly avoid later crises elsewhere.

We have supported the President in the Vietnam war, not because he is doing what should have been done, in our judgment, but because his policy was far better than withdrawal, surrender, or some patched-up neutrality, which would be equivalent to surrender.

Even so, we believe American boys never should have been sent to Vietnam, and that even now they should be brought home.

Our country has spent nearly \$3 billion in aid to Taiwan and has financed the training of a magnificent army of 600,000 men, nearly twice the number of American armed forces in Vietnam today. This well equipped and well trained army five thousand miles nearer Vietnam than the U.S.A. would eagerly do the fighting in Vietnam if our government would permit such action. Believing that Asian wars should be fought by Asians, there was a time, a few years ago, when the Japanese, the free Chinese, and the Philippines would have overthrown communism in Vietnam. This offer was rejected, and as a result American boys are dying in increasing numbers in the jungles of Vietnam. Why should not Chiang's men be allowed to do this fighting? Furthermore, at the present time of bitter strife and anarchy in Red China, why should they not be allowed to lift the banners of freedom on the mainland in the hope that the Chinese people, who must be sick unto death of the Red Terror, would welcome the men from Formosa as liberators?

The time has come for vigorous protest against the policy of allowing Chiang's well trained army of 600,000 men to remain idle, while our own sons do the fighting in Vietnam. Chaotic conditions in mainland China greatly increase the probability that Chiang Kai-Shek would be welcomed back to the mainland, and the Red regime overthrown. For what purpose did we spend billions to train Chiang's army, if we will not unleash it either in Vietnam or in mainland China?

Howard Kershner's Commentaries, Inc., Box 430, Radio City Station, New York, N. Y. 10101

NEW 4-H PROGRAMS

Among the latest 4-H programs giving awards based on accomplishment are home, home management, photography, community beautification, and dog care.

Citizens Learn Medical Self-Help

Disasters can take many shapes -- a devastating hurricane, an automobile accident, an enemy attack. We are still learning how to avoid disasters; we know how to prepare for them. Thousands of Alabamians are learning to survive and recover in the event of nuclear or natural defense.

The purpose of the Medical Self-Help Training Program is to prepare people for survival in time of man-made or natural disaster when the services of a physician or allied health personnel are not available for a number of days or weeks. The free 16-hour course outlines protective procedures against radioactive fallout and is directed toward pre-disaster planning and post-disaster invention. Students are taught the techniques of stopping bleeding, applying bandages, and treating fractures, dislocations, and sprains. Students learn how to care for the sick and injured and methods for infant and child care in disaster situations. Information on the treatment of burns and shock is also provided.

For the past three years Alabama has consistently ranked among the top ten states in the nation in the number of individuals trained in Medical Self-Help. One hundred, forty thousand citizens have been trained through courses offered in all 67 counties, with the cooperation of the Office of Civil Defense, the Medical Self-Help Training Program has received the Alabama Department of Public Health, County American Medical Association and many other national health organizations.

SBA LOANS EXCEED \$8 MILLION DOLLARS

Alabama residents received nearly \$8.5 million in loans from the Small Business Administration during 1966, Senator John Sparkman (D., Alabama) announced recently.

The SBA assistance included \$6,681,150 in long-term loans to 120 small businesses in Alabama.

Senator Sparkman is Chairman of the Senate Banking and Currency Committee, and is former Chairman of its Senate Small Business Committee.

These loans by SBA to credit-worthy small firms provide a stimulant to Alabama's economy," Senator Sparkman stated. "Most importantly," he added, "this influx of credit will make it possible to continue existing jobs or to provide new employment opportunities for the citizens of Alabama."

In addition to the 120 regular business loans, SBA loaned \$361,000 to 3 small concerns in Alabama which had been displaced by federally-funded renewal or highway projects. There were also two Economic Opportunity loans approved by SBA for citizens of Alabama start a new business or improve an existing facility.

SBA also made six loans totaling \$22,000 to help victims of natural disasters repair or rebuild their homes or businesses. Eight loans totaling \$1,379,100 were made to aid development companies.

SBA disaster loans are made at 3 percent interest. Regular business loans bear interest at 1 1/2 percent and are made to provide long-term loans for constructing a building, for the purchase of machinery or inventory, for improving an existing business, for enlarging and modernizing business quarters, or to provide working capital.

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Miss Paulette Strong Engaged To Mr. Robert Inman

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jones Strong, Senior, of 1712 Sutter Road, Birmingham, Alabama, announce the engagement of their daughter, Lillian Paulette, to Robert (Bob) Frederick Inman, of Elba and Montgomery, Alabama. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Frederick Inman, of Elba, Alabama.

The wedding is planned for April 15, at four o'clock in the afternoon, at the Trinity Methodist Church in Birmingham.

Grandparents of the bride-elect are Mr. and Mrs. Phil White, of Birmingham, and the late Mr. and Mrs. Larkin Booth Strong, of Birmingham.

Grandparents of the groom-elect are Mrs. R. L. Cooper and the late R. L. Cooper, of Elba, Alabama, Mrs. L. E. McGulley, of Denver, Colorado, and Mr. Charles H. Inman, of Attapulgus, Georgia.

The bride-elect is a graduate of the University of Alabama, receiving a B.S. degree in Home Economics, in 1964. She is a member of Alpha Delta Pi, social sorority and the Montgomery Spinsters' Club. She holds a position as School Relations Supervisor, Southern Bell Telephone Company.

The groom-elect is also a graduate of the University of Alabama, and Mrs. Angus Caldwell Vaughan, of Elba, Dr. Vaughan was graduated from the University of Alabama and the Medical College of Alabama where he was a member of the Nu Sigma Nu Medical Fraternity. He served a rotating internship at the University of Minnesota Hospitals followed by a tour of duty in the U. S. Navy. His specialty training was completed at the Medical College of Georgia in surgery. Currently he is an Assistant Professor of Surgery at the Medical College of Georgia in Augusta, serves on the surgery staff at the Veterans Administration Hospital and is a Diplomate of the American Board of Surgery.

The wedding will take place at noon on Saturday, March 25, at the First Methodist Church in Thomaston.

John Adams was chosen the most popular of three electoral votes, 71 to 68.



Miss Lillian Paulette Strong

Alpha Delta Kappa Meets With Mrs. Crook

The Alpha Delta Kappa held its regular monthly meeting in the home of Mrs. Erle Crook for its last meeting. Kitye Johnson and Laura Lou Grimes were co-hostesses. A dessert with coffee was served as guests arrived.

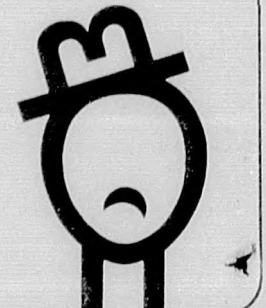
Nellie Martin acted in the absence of the president. A short business meeting preceded the program.

The program was "Literature Through the Ages". Catherine Spurlin and Helen McCollough gave a most interesting review of literature of the past up to the literature of today. Fifteen members were present.

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European Tour Spaces Available There are two additional spaces for the European tour scheduled to leave on July 11 for 22 days. The trip includes a tour through Belgium, Germany, Switzerland, Italy, France and England.

Persons interested in joining this tour may contact Mr. Marion Brunson, 312 Holly Hill Road, Enterprise, Alabama, or telephone 347-9219. Between 8:00 A.M. and 4:00 P.M. he may be contacted at the Hillcrest School, telephone 347-6858.



Attend The Church Of Your Choice Sunday



The Evening Star

The brilliant evening star is a symbol of many things to many folk. Mariners hail it as a good omen, for it usually forecasts a clear, calm night and smooth sailing. The shepherd tending his flock on a desolate hillside gratefully notes its appearance in the heavens; for its friendly light offers an intangible sort of companionship during his lonely vigil. To many, the star is representative of God's infinite power and wisdom.

Just as this star touches hearts in countless different ways, so may the Church bring to those in all walks of life, peace and comfort which lead to a happier, more fruitful pattern of life.

Let us make the Church our guiding light. We can brighten our lives if we accept the teaching of the Scriptures as guideposts along the pathway to future endeavors.

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Azalea Garden Club Meets With Mrs. Cannon

The February meeting of the Azalea Garden Club was held in the home of Mrs. Robert Cannon, Mrs. Bancroft Cooper was co-hostess.

A dessert course with coffee was served by the hostesses.

Miss Zedie Rowe, the President, conducted the business session. The club collect was repeated in unison. Secretary, Mrs. Fred Clark, called roll and read minutes of the January meeting. Mrs. Oscar Vaughan, Jr. gave the Treasurer's report. Mrs. V. D. McCreary reported that the yard of Mr. and Mrs. George Kennedy has been selected as the yard of the month.

The President appointed the following as a nominating committee for the 1967-68 officers: Mrs. P. H. Murphree, Chairman; Mrs. Fulton Clark and Mrs. J. M. Buchanan.

Miss Rowe announced that the South Regional Meeting will be held in Birmingham March 28-30 and the State meeting will be held in Montgomery June 13-15. She urged as many members to attend the meetings as possible. She asked that a clean-up campaign be started in Elba and that each member plant at least one tree. She also requested that a tree be planted on the Courthouse square as possible. The program was presented by Mrs. Sam Rowe. Mrs. Fred Clark talked on conservation. Mrs. V. D. McCreary gave a very interesting and informative paper on "Lawn Programs

THANK YOU

On behalf of the Azalea Garden Club I wish to thank the many business people of Elba who gave us ads to place in our cookbook which we have compiled and it will go to press in the near future and will be for sale.

Mrs. Price Ringo
Corresponding Secretary

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Members attending were: Mrs. Walter Cox, Mrs. Oliver Williams, Mrs. Sam Rowe, Mrs. Fred Clark, Mrs. McCreary, Mrs. Duke Tatum, Mrs. L. P. Mullins, Mrs. J. G. Clark, Mrs. Baxter Bryan, Mrs. J. M. Buchanan, Mrs. Price Ringo, Mrs. F. H. Murphree, Miss Mabel Brunson, Mrs. Oscar Vaughan, Jr., Mrs. Boyd Murphree, Mrs. J. M. Kimme, Miss Zedie Rowe, and the hostesses, Mrs. Cannon and Mrs. Cooper.

Ladies Of Basin Baptist Organize

The ladies of the Basin Baptist Church met on February 8, 1967, and organized a Women's Missionary Service, Persons, and positions to which they were elected to serve, follow: Mrs. Jean Mauldin - President; Mrs. Lurline Adams - Secretary; Mrs. Elsie Northey - Prayer Chairman; Mrs. Donie Moody - Mission Study Chairman; Mrs. Betty Boutwell - Program Chairman; Miss Zola Meek - Enlistment Chairman; Mrs. Dot Meacham - Auxiliary Director; Mrs. Peggy Ham - Assistant Director of Girls Auxiliary.

Meetings will be held monthly on the third Thursday night of each month. The first meeting will be held February 16.

DONALDSON HONORED

Fred D. Donaldson, C. L. U., 1500 West College Street, Enterprise, representative of the New York Life Insurance Company, completed his greatest year with the New York Life in 1966. According to the company's records, Mr. Donaldson, who has been recently by John T. DeBardeleben, C. L. U., General Manager of Montgomery General Office, Donaldson led all agents of the Montgomery General Office in life insurance production during 1966 and qualified as a Grand Slammer for the 4th consecutive year.

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Elba High Honor Roll Released

Persons admitted to the Elba General Hospital during the period of February 7 thru February 13 were the following:

Evelyn Johnson, Randolph Rushing, Cathy Cooper, Maxwell Henderson, George Keltner, Mattie Lou Johnson, Brenda Faye Flowers, Leslie Pope, Eugene Parker, Sandra Grimes, Tony Foy Calhoun, Fred Sutley, Ethridge Twilley, Claude Mae Stewart, W. H. Goodson, William C. McGulley, Carrie Brown, Hazel Gibbs, Jarrett Rual, Jimmy Bass, Mattie M. Holaday, Earnest L. Owens, H. C. Brunson, Kate Ham, Sara Nell Pope, Cleo C. Hawkins, Madie Kelley.

Persons discharged during the same period of time were the following: Randolph Rushing, Cathy Cooper, Maxwell Henderson, George Keltner, Brenda Faye Flowers, Eugene Parker, Sandra Grimes, Tony Foy Calhoun, Fred Sutley, Claude Mae Stewart, W. H. Goodson, William C. McGulley, Carrie Brown, Mattie M. Holaday, Wayne Stewart, Gertrude Owens, Charles Donald Davis, Robert Marley, Winnie Dell Bowen, Sammy Shepard, Jessie W. H. Hodge, Dorothy Parrish, Willie Tyson, Kent Hodge, Adelle Tucker, W. H. Hodge, Epule E. Bryan, Grace McWaters, Otis Flowers, Martha Jean Walker, Lizer Harper, Pat Taylor.

4-H NEWS

ZION CHAPEL BOYS The meeting of the Zion Chapel Elementary Boys' 4-H Club was held February 9, 1967, in the sixth grade room.

The meeting was called to order by Larry Eddins, the minutes were read by Terry Miller, and the devotional was given by Phil Rugg. The meeting was about "Fertilizing Lawns and Shrubs". Mr. Presley told what kinds of fertilizer to use in fertilizing lawns and shrubs. He gave out booklets concerning them. Larry Eddins adjourned the meeting until next month.

Club Reporter is Jeffrey Bimbo.

NEW HOPE ELEMENTARY

The boys and girls of the New Hope Elementary 4-H Club met January 11, 1967, at 9:00 A.M. in the auditorium of the school. The meeting was called to order by Tommy Carter, the minutes were read by Terry Miller, and the devotional was given by Phil Rugg. The meeting was about "Fertilizing Lawns and Shrubs". Mr. Presley told what kinds of fertilizer to use in fertilizing lawns and shrubs. He gave out booklets concerning them. Larry Eddins adjourned the meeting until next month.

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our appreciation to the many friends and neighbors for the food, flowers and other acts of kindness shown during the illness and death of our loved one.

May God's richest blessings be with each of you.

The Randal Hudson Family
2-16-1967

Elba High Honor Roll Released

6th Grade: Mary Collier, Melba Spurlin, Vickie Grantham,
7th Grade: Susan Dan-

ford, Betty Graves,
8th Grade: Deborah Houtt, Wayne Windham, Lamar Rainer III,
9th Grade: Debbie Easters,
10th Grade: Mary Sue Griffin, Janice Windham, Beverly Rainer, Carol Rainer, Linda McColl, Roger Wise,

tin, Phil English,
9th Grade: Larry Spann, Ed Wise,
10th Grade: Mary Sue Griffin, Janice Windham, Carol Vaughan,
11th Grade: Wanda Kidd, Ed Wise,
12th Grade: Glenn Bedsole, Linda Coon, Char-lotte McCall, Roger Wise, Becky Marler.

The Honor Roll for the 1st Semester at Elba High School consists of the following students:
6th Grade: Mary Collier, Rita Marler, Vickie Grantham, Melba Spurlin,
8th Grade: Terry Mar-

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Kinston Honor Roll

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A & B - Donnie Carnley, Bill Moore, Terry Wise, Michael Wilks, Dean Whigham, Sherry Fleming, Julia Helms, Joan Stephens.

Semester, A & B - Karen Donaldson, Patti Whigham, Mike Free, Terry Wise, Michael Wilks.

Mrs. Wise - Third Grade, Third Six Weeks, All "A" - Sue Kelley, Rachel Kilcrease.

A & B - Beverly Smith, Diane Wambles, Cindy Williams.

Semester, All "A" - Sue Kelley, A & B - Rachel Kilcrease.

Mrs. Stollgrove-Fourth Grade, Third Six Weeks, All "A" - Roterick Rainey.

A & B - Joe Hunko, Jeanette Wood.

Semester - Fifth Johnnie McInnis, Sixth Rocky Jackson, Jeanette Wood.

Mrs. Crawley - Sixth Grade, Third Six Weeks, All "A" - Meloy Whigham, Gloria Martin, Gladys Martin, Wanda Maloy.

Larry Weeks, Denny Weatherford, Brenda Blair, Joe Wesley.

A & B - Patricia Weeks, Linda Blair, Rhonda Anderson, Cecil Davis, Larry Carnley, David Harrison.

Semester, A & B - Brenda Blair, Larry Weeks, Wanda Maloy, Gloria Martin, Gladys Martin, Joe Wesley, Meloy Whigham.

Linda Blair, Rhonda Anderson, David Harrison.

Mrs. King - Seventh Grade, Third Six Weeks, All "A" - Pat Bowdoin.

Semester, A & B - Patricia Bess, Marilyn Hatcher, Patricia Nelson, June Kelley, Tim Donaldson, Scotty Prescott, Joe Simmons, Ted Smith, Kenneth Wise.

Semester, A & B - Pat Bowdoin.

Mrs. Bowdin - Eighth Grade, Third Six Weeks, All "A" - Patricia Jones, Christine Miller.

Mrs. Carpenter - Eighth Grade, Third Six Weeks, All "A" - Brenda Bess, A & B - Betty King, Semester, "A" - Brenda Bess.

Mrs. Hawkins - Ninth Grade, Third Six Weeks, All "A" - Gale Smith, A & B - Jane Parker, John Davis, Ken Pierce.

Semester, "A" - Gale Smith, Faye Smith, A & B - Gloria Bowdoin, Jane Parker, John Davis, Ken Pierce, Janice King.

Mr. Harper - Tenth Grade, Third Six Weeks, A & B - Elaine Bludsworth, Bonnie Kelley, Shirley Moore, Donna Baker.

Mr. Carpenter - Tenth Grade, Third Six Weeks, All "A" - Eddie McInnis, Charla Spears, Mickey Moore, Semester, "A" - Eddie McInnis, Charla Spears, A & B - Mickey Moore, Wayne Fleming.

Mr. Burkett - Eleventh Grade, Third Six Weeks, All "A" - Ron Bowdoin.

A & B - Linda Barnes.

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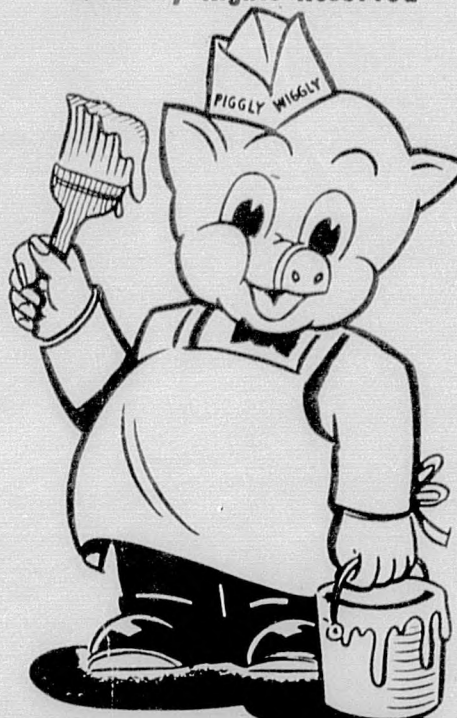
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SWIFT'S CORN 15 OZ. CAN	42¢
BEEF HASH 15 OZ. CAN	42¢
SWIFT'S WITH BEANS CHILI 24 OZ. CAN	47¢
NABISCO HAM EASY SNACK CRACKERS 7 OZ. CTN.	41¢
SWIFT'S CREAM CORN NO. 101 CAN	19¢
GREEN BEANS NO. 101 CAN	23¢
SWIFT'S SUPREME OR ALMOND ICE CREAM NOVELTIES 49¢	

Piggly Wiggly's Shopping Bonus

BONUS FOR WEDNESDAY, FEB. 15
BONUS FOR THURSDAY, FEB. 16
BONUS FOR FRI. & SAT., FEB. 17 & 18

Good Wed. Only Feb. 15 DUMINGO 5 Lb. Bag
SUGAR Limit...One With \$10 Or More Purchase 10¢

Good Thurs. Only Feb. 16 PLYMOUTH GRADE "A"
LARGE EGGS Doz. Limit...One With \$10 Or More Purchase 10¢

Good Fri. & Sat. Only Feb. 17 & 18 SUNNYLAND BOBWHITE
SLICED BACON 1 Lb. Pkg. Limit...One With \$10 Or More Purchase 10¢



ROBIN HOOD ENRICHED Cool Rise Flour

10 lb. bag 98¢
Limit...One With \$7.00 Or More Purchase

16 OZ. JAR PLYMOUTH
MAYONNAISE 22¢
Limit...One With \$7.00 Or More Purchase

REG. 85¢ MACLEAN'S KING SIZE
TOOTH PASTE 58¢
WITH FREE SPACE SAVER

FRESH FLORIDA GROWN
ORANGES DOZEN 22¢
ENJOY THE VERY-BEST PRODUCE

FRESH & GREEN CABBAGE LB. 8¢	FRESH & GREEN BELL PEPPER EACH 8¢	SNOW WHITE CAULIFLOWER HEAD 28¢
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SUNNY TENNESSEE FROZEN
STRAWBERRIES 22¢
10 OUNCE PACKAGE

PET RITZ FROZEN PIE SHELLS 10 OZ. PKG. 36¢	SEABROOK FARM Petite LIMAS 10 OZ. PKG. 39¢	BLUEBIRD ORANGE JUICE 3 12 OZ. CANS 89¢
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YOUR PLEASURE IS OUR POLICY
DEL MONTE SLICED OR CRUSHED PINEAPPLE No. 1 Flat Can 17¢
8 OZ. CANS SUNSET GOLD BISCUITS 6 Pak Ctn. 49¢
BLUE BONNET SOFT MARGARINE 1 Lb. Ctn. 45¢

EXTRA BONUS
100 S&H STAMPS
With \$7.50 or More Purchase
Good Through FEB. 18,
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Telephone Company After Obscene Callers

Local telephone personnel have been thoroughly briefed by the company's security director on the new methods and equipment and stand ready to help any customer who is being victimized by an annoyance caller. Although all annoyance calls are invasions of privacy, the most serious is the abusive one, in which obscene, harassing or threatening statements are made.

The company explained that these calls are usually made by people who do not realize the amount of inconvenience they are causing and although they are rarely dangerous, their calls can be very disturbing.

The outline of General Telephone's recommended approach to these situations states that the first thing anyone should do when receiving a call from this type of person is hang up immediately and refuse to give them any satisfaction whatsoever.

If the caller persists, the customer should visit the local business office for instructions on what should be done to identify the offender and initiate proper action against him. In aggravated cases, special equipment, not involving wire-tapping or listening on conversations, can be used to trace the offending calls. Victims expect prompt action by the telephone company in the case of repeated calls because they are obviously quite anxious to bring such matters to a hasty conclusion.

It was noted, however, that although the company can provide incriminating evidence for legal prosecution of offenders, legal action must be brought by recipients of the calls through their local law enforcement officials. Most states, including this one, have laws on the books under which persons making abusive calls can be convicted. The penalties vary to some extent but

most statutes call for fines of \$500 to \$1,000 and prison confinement from six months to a year.

The company issued the following statement concerning annoyance calls: "General Telephone Company provides service that is designed for enjoyment and convenience and at long last we are now able to take positive steps to see that it is not abused. Customers can expect our full cooperation in dealing with these practices, with the full assurance that by following our proven procedures annoying and abusive calls can be eliminated."

A major effort is now underway to eliminate the annoying and abusive telephone calls to customers in their southeast territory. It was announced by General Telephone.

Annoyance calls have been a source of major concern to the telephone industry since the conversion to automatic dialing, but until recently, very little could be done to deter them. Now, however, technological advances and new procedures for handling customer complaints have made it possible to put an end to such offensive practices.

Tax Clinic To Be Held At Enterprise

Taxpayers who want to fill out their own income tax statements will have a chance to participate in a two-week tax clinic at Enterprise State Junior College the weeks of February 28 and March 6.

Bill Muth, director of the evening program, said the clinic would take the form of four class sessions, with emphasis on typical cases. The classes will meet on Tuesdays and Thursdays, February 28 and March 6, from 7:30 to 9 P.M. Fee for the clinic will be \$6.

Ed Cean, Jr., Enterprise certified public accountant, will conduct the classes. Also assisting a consultant will be officials of the Internal Revenue Service from Dothan and Birmingham.

Class sessions, Muth said, will consist of an examination of errors which cause statements to be returned, changes in income tax laws, analysis of allowable deductions and the completion of sample typical statements. For the final meeting, tax specialists will conduct a panel discussion.

State as well as federal income tax statements will be considered.

The instructor was graduated from Auburn University in business administration. He has spent five years as a state accounts examiner and seven years as general auditor for an oil company and has been in business for himself since 1962. He is a member of The American Institute of Certified Public Accountants, The Alabama Society of CPAs and The Oklahoma Society of CPAs.

Muth said persons who want to take the course may register by stopping by the junior college administration building any time between 8 A.M. and 4 P.M. Or, they may write to register until just before the first class meeting.

SUPPORT THE ELBA RESCUE SQUAD



BEAUTY CONTESTANTS - Marilyn Arnold, left, and Margaret Wilson, both of Elba, are among 15 girls elected by students of Enterprise State Junior College to participate in a beauty pageant Saturday night, February 25. From the 15, five "campus beauties" will be selected for the junior college yearbook.

Others participating in the contests include: Hilda Morgan, Angi Waters, Martha McIntosh, Linda Henle, Patsy Cumpler and Lannie Lipscombe, all of Enterprise; Karol Outlaw and Rosemary Brannon, Hartford; Janet Brown, Pensacola, Florida; Ellen Pierce, Opp; Carol Wallace and Evelyn Sawyer, New Brockton, and Janet Wright, Fort Rucker. Miss Cumpler replaced Linda Chambers, who had been announced earlier as one of the 15 entries.

Heart Fund Dollars Help Medical Research

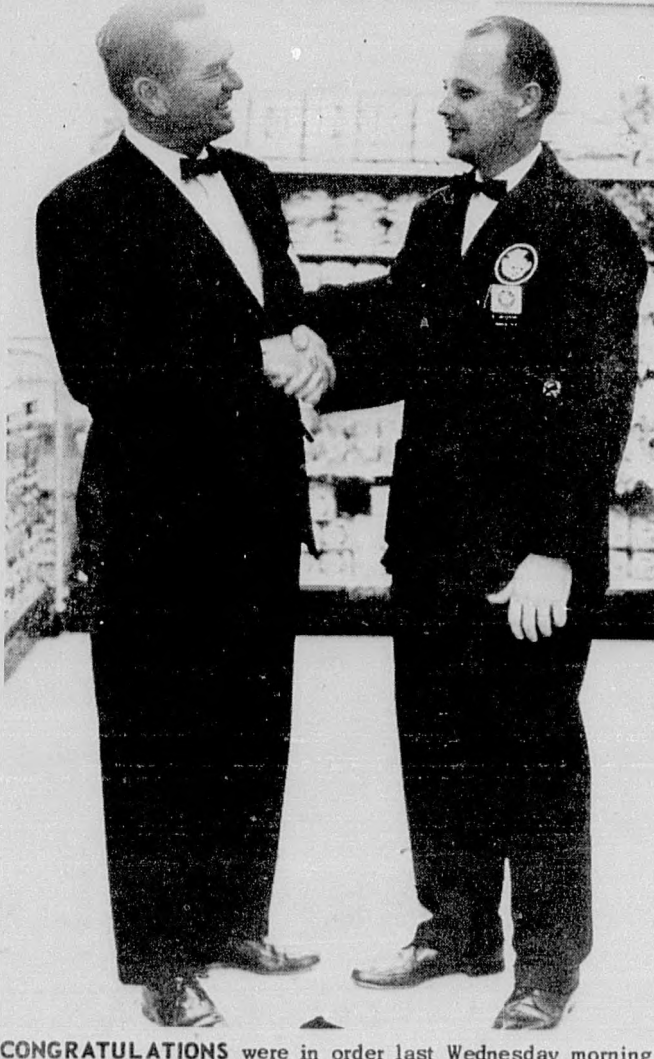
A good-sized library could be filled by the 20,000 scientific papers, each containing previously unknown information about the cardiovascular system and its disorders, which have been made possible by the eighteen Heart Fund campaigns since 1949. Research behind these publications, underwritten by more than 120 million Heart Fund dollars, has speeded virtually every present-day advance in the fight against heart and blood vessel disease. Results now are coming back to the American people.

Since the onset of massive heart research programs in 1950, with your Heart Association serving as the world's largest non-governmental source of research support funds, dramatic results have been achieved. Among persons aged below 65 there has been a decline of about 15 per cent in the death rate from heart and blood vessel diseases. And despite an increase of about 5 per cent in the death rate from heart attack among men aged 45-64, this age bracket has enjoyed an overall improvement of about 7 per cent in its mortality rate from all heart and circulatory diseases.

This is real progress. As famed cardiologist Dr. Paul Dudley White says: "We are turning the corner." In his opinion, Heart Fund contributions have been among the wisest and most effective health investments ever made by the people of this country.

Much remains to be done. The heart and blood vessel diseases are still responsible for more deaths than all other diseases combined. Vital research, education and community heart programs of your Heart Association must have the support they deserve. So give generously to the current Heart Fund Campaign. Give -- so more will live!

CONGRATULATIONS were in order last Wednesday morning when the new Big Bear Supermarket held its grand opening and ribbon cutting ceremony. Mr. George Thompson of the Hudson Thompson wholesale grocery, who issues the Big Bear franchisees is shown congratulating the owner of the new store, (Marrell Whitman, right) following the 10 A. M. ribbon cutting ceremony.



Girl Scouts Launch Cookie Sale

Plans for the Annual Girl Scout Cookie Sale are underway. The girls have received their instructions from cookie sale chairman, Mrs. Mace Cook, and they will be out ringing doorbells on Saturday, February 25th. Pictured here with Mrs. Cook are Girl Scouts Wilma Anderson, Sherri Cook and Gena

Kendrick. Listening rather wistfully is Michelle McGuire, who has toward until next year to sell cookies, as Brownies are not allowed to do actual selling. Michelle believes in being prepared however, and is the Girl Scouts are particularly eager to sell long boxes of cookies this year to help fund a new project to help

pay for. This year 267 acres of land located some three miles from Elba near Woodland Grove were purchased for a Girl Scout campsite.

When the girls sell 500 boxes of cookies they will have paid for one acre of land. Twenty-four boxes of cookies will purchase one camp cot, while for eight boxes a paddle may be purchased. From each box of cookies sold 40% of the money pays for the cookies. The local troop keeps 10% of the money to help finance its program and sends 50% to the Girl Scout Council. It is this 50% portion of the funds that will build a campsite.

Postmaster Announces New Window Hours

New hours have been announced for the Elba Post Office by Postmaster Robert Cooper. Beginning March 1, 1967, Post Office window hours will be as follows: Monday through Friday - 8:30 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. and on Saturday - 8:30 A.M. to 12:00 Noon.

Elba Tigers Still Claiming Cage Wins

After the tight victory over the Troy Trojans on February 10th the varsity Tigers seemed to develop a taste for tight games. Their next game, Andalusia - February 10th, was a close one all the way. End of regular play found the game tied 60 - 60. A three-minute overtime was called and the Tigers placed 9 more points on the board while holding Andy scoreless. Steve Bragg led the Tigers with 22 points.

Elba's next game was a rematch with the great Kinston team and Kinston came out on top, 78 - 49. Wayne Holey paced Kinston with 46 points. The Tiger B Team continues to roll, having lost only 2 season games, both to Kinston. The Tigers meet Straugh here Friday, February 24th.

Death Claims Mrs. Clark

Mrs. Henry Clark died Wednesday morning in the Elba General Hospital following a short illness. At press time there were no details concerning the funeral arrangements.

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